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DABORN, GENERAL MANAGER CALTEX INDIA, REQUESTS FOLLOWING MESSAGE BE TRANSMITTED TO V.P. RYAN, CALTEX PETROLEUM CORPORATION, 380 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, THROUGH CALTEX REP IN WASHINGTON. WE ARE AGAIN CLASSIFYING MESSAGE HERE SINCE DABORN INSISTS THAT IT MUST NOT RPT NOT REACH INDIAN HANDS:

QUOTE: REFERENCE TO LAST PARA MESSAGE DATED JAN 14. HAVE DECIDED AGAINST APPROACH TO SUBRAMANIAM DURING HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON AS DEFINITE POSSIBILITY THIS COULD THEREBY

BECOME POLITICAL ISSUE WHICH SHOULD BE AVOIDED AT THIS TIME.

IN FURTHER CONSULTATION WITH COUNSEL LAST NIGHT HE ADVISED THAT APPROACH TO MINISTER WOULD NOT BE CONTEMPT OF COURT. HOWEVER EVEN IF MINISTER INSTRUCTED THE WITHDRAWAL OF CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS THIS WOULD REQUIRE PERMISSION OF THE COURT WHICH UNLIKELY UNLESS SUBSTANTIAL GROUNDS FOR WITHDRAWAL ARE PRODUCED BY PROSECUTION. PLEASE MAKE NO REFERENCE THIS MESSAGE. DABORN. UNQUOTE.

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